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Applicant: KURZINGER et al.
Docket: 12742.0005US11
Title: FLAKE FEED, ESPECIALLY FOR AQUATIC ANIMALS

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With regard to the above-identified application, the items of information listed on the enclosed Form 1449 are brought to the attention of the Examiner.

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Consideration of the items listed is respectfully requested. Pursuant to the provisions of M.P.E.P. 609, it is requested that the Examiner return a copy of the attached Form 1449, marked as being considered and initialed by the Examiner, to the undersigned with the next official communication.

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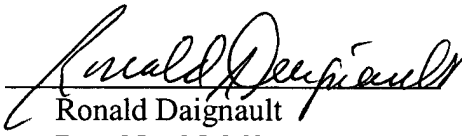


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U.S. PATENT DOCUMENTS						
EXAMINER INITIAL	DOCUMENT NO.	DATE	NAME	CLASS	SUBCLASS	FILING DATE IF APPROPRIATE
	US 3,438,781	Apr., 1969	MacMillan et al.			
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	DOCUMENT NO.	DATE	COUNTRY	CLASS	SUBCLASS	TRANSLATION	
						YES	NO
	CS 128988	Sep., 1968	CS.				
	EP 326633	Aug., 1989	EP.				
	EP 337573	Oct. 1989	EP				
	GB 2257012	Jan. 1993	GB				
	GB 768189	Feb. 1957	GB				

OTHER DOCUMENTS (Including Author, Title, Date, Pertinent Pages, Etc.)		

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